

## Republic of the Philippines OFFICE OF THE CITY MAYOR

City of Davao

## **EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 15** Series of 2021

## AN ORDER RECONSTITUTING THE TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP OF THE LOCAL HOUSING BOARD FOR THE FORMULATION OF THE LOCAL SHELTER PLAN OF DAVAO CITY

WHEREAS, Section 17 of the Local Government Code of the Philippines states that local government units shall exercise such other powers and discharge such other functions and responsibilities as are necessary, appropriate, or incidental to efficient and effective provision of basic services and facilities which include low-cost housing and other mass dwellings;

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 7279, otherwise known as the "Urban Development and Housing Act of 1992" provides the framework for a continuing urban development and housing program and mandates the local government units to implement such law in their respective localities in coordination with the Housing and Urban Development Coordinating Council, the national housing agencies, the Presidential Commission for the Urban Poor, the private sector and other nongovernment organizations.;

WHEREAS, Davao City Ordinance No. 014-07, Series of 2007, otherwise known as "The Shelter Code of Davao City" created the Davao City Housing Board or Local Housing Board, provided for its composition and directed it to formulate the Local Comprehensive Shelter Plan;

WHEREAS, Section 22 of the Shelter Code of Davao City states that the formulation of the Comprehensive Shelter Plan (CSP) shall be done in coordination with the City Housing Office;

WHEREAS, in view of the non-existence of the City Housing Office, the Housing and Homesite Development Division under the Office of the City Planning and Development Coordinator currently undertakes the functions of the City Housing Office;

WHEREAS, "The Shelter Code of Davao City" also states in Section 17 thereof that other agencies and institutions can be invited as resource persons or as members of the Technical Working Group formed by the Housing Board in aid of policy, program development, and implementation.

WHEREAS, Executive Order No. 25, Series of 2016 provided for the members of the Technical Working Group of the Local Housing Board;

WHEREAS, in order to effectively carry out its mandate, there is a need to reconstitute the members of the Technical Working Group of the Local Housing Board;

NOW THEREFORE, I, SARA Z. DUTERTE, Mayor of the City of Davao, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order the following:



## SECTION 1. RECONSTITUTION OF THE TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP

**OF THE LOCAL HOUSING BOARD.** The Technical Working Group (TWG) of the Local Housing Board is hereby reconstituted and shall be composed of the following:

- 1. Office of the City Planning and Development Coordinator;
- 2. City Engineer's Office;
- 3. City Assessor's Office;
- 4. City Social Welfare and Development Office;
- 5. City Budget Office;
- 6. City Legal Office;
- 7. City Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office; and
- 8. Committee on Housing, Rural and Urban Development (Low End Projects).

Representatives from the following agencies may be also be invited or consulted by the TWG to provide inputs to the Local Shelter Plan (LSP), to wit:

- 1. Department of Human Settlements and Urban Development;
- 2. Presidential Commission for the Urban Poor;
- 3. Department of Interior and Local Government;
- 4. National Housing Authority; and
- 5. National Commission on Indigenous Peoples;

The members of the TWG are hereby directed to name their two (2) respective alternate permanent representatives who shall take their place in case of their absence.

SECTION 2. DUTIES AND FUNCTIONS. The TWG shall perform the following:

- Gather available data and process information relevant to the preparation of the LSP;
- Ensure policy coordination and uniformity in operational directions for shelter planning;
- 3. Ensure that the LSP is in line with national and local policies and standards;
- Establish or maintain linkages and seek substantial inputs from government agencies, civil society organizations, and private sector in all stages of the local shelter planning and development;
- 5. Initiate community validation and consultation; and
- 6. Formulate the LSP for the approval of the LHB.

**SECTION 3. SUPPORT.** All offices under the City Government of Davao which will be tapped by the TWG are hereby directed to provide their full and active support and their utmost cooperation to the TWG and the LSP. The City Administrator and/or the respective heads of the offices to which the members of the TWG shall belong shall endeavor the said members to prioritize the performance of their functions herein stated.

All national government offices involved in the preparation of the LSP are likewise requested to extend their support and assistance to this undertaking.

**SECTION 4. FUNDING/ OPERATING COSTS.** All costs pertaining to the Operation of the TWG shall be taken from the available funds of the City Government of Davao subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

**SECTION 5. SUNSET CLAUSE.** The TWG shall function as a special unit which exists only for the duration of the preparation of the LSP or as may be determined by the City Mayor. After the formulation of the LSP, the members of the TWG shall be reverted to that which is provided under Executive Order No. 25, Series of 2016.

**SECTION 6. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE.** If any provision of this Executive Order is declared invalid or unconstitutional, other provisions not affected thereby shall remain valid and subsisting.

**SECTION 7. REPEALING CLAUSE.** All orders or parts thereof which are inconsistent with the provisions of the Executive Order are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

**SECTION 8. EFFECTIVITY.** This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

Done this <u>MAR 2 3 2021</u> in Davao City, Philippines.

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Attested by:

ATTY City Administrator 🛩

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